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REQUEST FOR CHANGE OF STATUS FROM SMALL TO LARGE ENTITY UNDER 37 CFR 1.27(g)(2), 1.28(c)(1) and 1.28(c)(2)

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Sirs:

Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.27(g), 1.28(c)(1) and 1.28(c)(2), the Applicant respectfully requests a change in status from small to large entity. The USPTO is informed that the Applicant and Assignee, Fukoka Technoken Kogyo, Co., Ltd., qualified as a Small Entity under 37 C.F.R. 1.27(a)(2) at filing. However, during the prosecution of the application, the ownership of the patent was assigned from Fukoka Technoken Kogyo, Co., Ltd., to both Fukoka Technoken Kogyo, Co., Ltd., and Kobayashi Create Co., Ltd., the latter of which is a <u>large</u> entity. Accordingly, the Examiner is requested to charge any present and future fees, including the issue fee, along with the appropriate surcharge fees, to the abovereferenced application at the large entity rate.

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Change of Status from Small to Large Entity

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No fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.28(c)(2)(i) and 1.28(c)(2)(ii), is believed to be required. Should any additional fee be required, please charge any deficiency to Deposit Account No. 50-0951.

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